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Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and

Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice; public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council's (MAFMC) Tilefish

Advisory Panel and Tilefish Committee will hold a public meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Thursday, August 1, 2019, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

For agenda details, see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held via webinar with a telephone-only connection option. Details on the proposed agenda, webinar listen-in access, and briefing materials will be posted at the MAFMC's website: www.mafmc.org.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 800 N. State Street, Suite 201, Dover, DE 19901; telephone: (302) 674-2331 or on their website at www.mafmc.org.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Christopher M. Moore, Ph.D.,

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Council has committed to funding the

first year of a long-term golden tilefish fishery independent survey. The first survey will

be conducted next year in waters off New York to the Virginia/North Carolina line.

The purpose of this meeting is for the Advisory Panel and Committee to discuss

the overview of the survey and identify potential funding options for subsequent surveys.

Special Accommodations

The meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign

language interpretation or other auxiliary aid should be directed to M. Jan Saunders,

(302) 526-5251, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: July 9, 2019.

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